

CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A consumable cartridge that is attachable to a mounting portion of a body of a color image forming apparatus and holds a predetermined color developer, comprising:

a recording device, storing first information on the consumable cartridge, the first information including at least color information of the color developer; and
a controller, controlling transmission of transmitting the first information to the body of the image forming apparatus; and

an antenna, physically separated from the body of the image forming apparatus, and coupling the consumable cartridge to the body using electromagnetic induction, so that electric power is supplied from the body to said recording device and said controller through said antenna, and the first information is transmitted to the body through said antenna.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The A consumable cartridge that is attachable to a mounting portion of a body of a color image forming apparatus and holds a predetermined color developer, comprising:

a recording device, storing first information on the consumable cartridge, the first information including at least color information of the color developer; and
a controller, transmitting the first information to the body of the image forming apparatus;

according to Claim 1, wherein said controller detects whether the

consumable cartridge has been attached to the mounting portion of the body;
and image forming section;

wherein said controller transmits the first information to the body of the image forming apparatus before the color developer is supplied to the body of the image forming apparatus.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The A consumable cartridge that is attachable to a mounting portion of a body of a color image forming apparatus and holds a predetermined color developer, comprising:
a recording device, storing first information on the consumable cartridge, the first information including at least color information of the color developer; and
a controller, transmitting the first information to the body of the image forming apparatus; according to Claim 1,

wherein said controller reads second information on the body from the image forming apparatus and determines based on the first information and second information whether the consumable cartridge has been misplaced the on the mounting portion the consumable cartridge from the recording device; and

wherein if said controller determines that the consumable cartridge has been misplaced, said controller indicates to an operator that the consumable cartridge has been misplaced.

Claim 4 (Original): The consumable cartridge according to Claim 1, wherein the consumable cartridge is attached to an image forming section of the image forming apparatus.

Claim 5 (Original): The consumable cartridge according to Claim 1, wherein the consumable cartridge is attached to a body of a process cartridge attached to the color image forming apparatus.

Claim 6 (Canceled).

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): An image forming apparatus incorporating the consumable cartridge according to Claim 1, wherein the apparatus comprising: ~~a mounting portion to which receives the consumable cartridge in a consumable cartridge receiving portion is attached.~~

Claim 8 (New): An image forming apparatus incorporating the consumable cartridge according to Claim 2, wherein the image forming apparatus has a print controller that determines whether the consumable cartridge is in an abnormal condition.